



New Mexico Crop Progress

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Crop Summary for the Week Ending June 1, 2014

New Mexico: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.2. Topsoil moisture was 44% very short, 22% short and 34% adequate. Subsoil moisture 43% very short, 22% short and 35% adequate. Wind damage was 10% light, 28% moderate and 7% severe.

County Comments: **Rio Arriba** - Some really nice county wide rain showers occurred last week. Most USFS summer allotments are being stocked. **Taos** - Alfalfa weevils are numerous; aphids and leaf hoppers as well. Temperatures are warming up fast. Rio Grande is moving at approximately 1,500 cfs. **Colfax** - Small amounts of much needed rain were received in the county this week. It was not enough to make any improvement in conditions. **Guadalupe** - Good general rains were received throughout the county two weeks ago - has really helped out the topsoil moisture after a very dry winter. **Harding** - Good rains on most of the county 3rd week of May, and green and growing for now. **Chaves** - Spotty heavy rains this week. Range lands are beginning to green. **Dona Ana** - Onion harvesting has begun. Second cutting of Alfalfa is now 50% complete. **Lea** - Rain over Memorial Day weekend was needed. Northern part of county received on average 5.5 inches, Central areas around 2 inches and southern county around an inch.

Crop Progress Table

Crop	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-year Average
Alfalfa Hay 1 st Cutting	74	61	63	86
Chile Planted	100	99	95	98
Corn Planted	75	58	73	87
Corn Emerged	38	34	28	48
Cotton Planted	92	70	81	91
Sorghum Planted	25	15	8	31
Peanuts Planted	45	25	42	56
Lettuce Harvested	98	85	81	91
Onions Harvested	10	3	5	18
Winter Wheat Headed	76	65	62	91

Soil Moisture Condition Table

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Topsoil Moisture				
Current Week	44	22	34	-
Last Week	48	19	33	-
Last Year	81	18	1	-
5-Year Average	51	32	17	-
Subsoil Moisture				
Current Week	43	22	35	-
Last Week	42	21	37	-
Last Year	NA	NA	NA	NA
5-Year Average	NA	NA	NA	NA

Crop and Livestock Condition Table

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Alfalfa Hay	1	3	36	46	14
Chile	2	4	42	47	5
Lettuce	-	-	19	41	40
Onions	-	-	10	41	49
Pecans	-	-	24	39	37
Peanuts	5	36	54	5	-
Winter Wheat	43	21	14	9	13
Cattle	3	20	50	26	1
Sheep	19	25	46	10	-

Range and Pasture Condition Table

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Northwest	50	29	10	11	-
Northeast	29	24	32	15	-
Southwest	7	44	43	6	-
Southeast	12	79	9	-	-
State: Current Week	26	42	24	8	-
State: Last Week	28	44	23	5	-
State: Last Year	65	27	8	-	-
State: 5-Year Average	35	33	23	8	1

New Mexico Weather Data – May 26 – June 1, 2014

Station	Temperature			Precipitation				
	Average	Maximum	Minimum	Week	Month	Year-to-Date	Monthly Normal	Yearly Normal
Northwest								
Albuquerque	73.9	94	49	-	0.00	1.01	0.66	3.20
Chama	57.4	80	32	0.10	0.00	4.07	1.09	9.99
Farmington	68.8	91	41	0.05	0.00	1.64	0.21	3.30
Gallup	63.5	90	36	0.02	0.00	0.49	0.48	3.94
Grants	66.8	88	39	0.00	0.00	0.49	0.55	3.41
Johnson Ranch	62.1	85	33	0.00	0.00	2.08	0.72	4.36
Los Alamos	65.9	82	41	0.03	0.00	2.64	1.52	6.99
Red River	-	-	-	-	-	2.77	1.42	9.76
Santa Fe	66.4	88	40	0.01	0.00	2.87	1.29	5.07
Northeast								
Capulin	63.5	88	41	0.06	0.00	2.67	2.49	7.22
Clayton	70.9	93	51	0.08	0.00	1.75	2.27	6.30
Clovis	71.7	94	53	0.16	0.00	3.29	2.62	7.31
Las Vegas	62.2	84	40	0.20	-	1.76	2.31	6.46
Moriarty	63.7	89	40	0.25	0.00	2.57	0.89	4.98
Raton	65.4	90	42	0.08	-	1.78	2.28	7.37
Roy	65.3	88	43	0.11	0.00	1.03	2.08	6.06
Tucumcari	75.4	100	55	-	0.00	2.40	2.19	7.12
Southwest								
Animas	79.4	98	57	0.00	0.00	0.83	0.56	2.81
Deming	78.8	99	52	-	0.00	0.57	0.70	3.11
Gran Quivira	66.1	89	44	0.00	0.00	2.53	1.18	4.94
Quemado	61.4	84	36	0.31	0.00	1.39	0.40	3.10
Socorro	78.9	100	52	0.00	0.00	0.28	0.60	2.88
T or C	77.8	101	55	0.03	0.00	0.45	0.84	2.92
Southeast								
Alamogordo	77.2	101	51	-	0.00	0.50	0.79	3.43
Carlsbad	78.6	107	54	0.00	0.00	1.84	1.53	4.86
Carrizozo	70.6	93	43	0.00	0.00	0.78	0.78	3.50
Las Cruces	78.9	100	56	0.00	0.00	1.33	0.66	2.49
Roswell	73.1	101	52	0.00	0.00	5.02	1.77	5.29
Ruidoso	65.9	99	35	0.50	0.00	1.54	2.06	6.99
Tatum	69.9	93	53	-	0.00	5.38	2.03	6.17

(T) Trace. (-) No Report. (*) Correction. All reports based on preliminary data. Precipitation data corrected monthly from official.